I am embarassed by the state of our media outlets in America. Are we not a country founded on innovative free thinking? Pretty soon we will become like many of the countries we pretend to protect and free from opression. What is happening to the buyouts and conglomeration of our airwaves (radio, tv, public venues) is astoundingly discouraging. Please ensure that the media not only has a responsibility to feature all sides of the story whether liberal or conservative, but that they are legally bound to report accurately and openly on all matters especially local interest and community news. Nowadays, only money walks and talks on our airwaves, the nonprofit groups and smaller scale businesses are becoming increasingly ignored. PLEASE HELP KEEP OUR LOCAL NEWS RELEVANT AND ON THE AIR. AND REFUSE MEDIA CONGLOMERATES! STOP THE TAKEOVER!